

## PAYTON LEADS IN RACE FOR CONEY'S CARNIVAL CROWN

Lee Avenue Theatre Ballot  
Boxes Give Him Total  
of 3,597 Votes.

CONTEST GETTING HOT.

Akoun Only 104 Votes Be-  
hind, and Others Are  
Running Well.

### HOW VOTE STANDS FOR KING OF CONEY ISLAND CARNIVAL.

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| Corse Payton         | 3,597 |
| Fernand Akoun        | 104   |
| Elias Rosenthal      | 3,497 |
| Mortimer Kaplan      | 2,523 |
| John Eckenpouly      | 1,542 |
| Chief Bull Bear      | 1,382 |
| Howard W. Amell      | 1,298 |
| J. A. Stigwell       | 1,008 |
| August Ludeman       | 875   |
| Phil J. Jolly        | 697   |
| Elias R. Clayton     | 617   |
| Ed W. Hines          | 532   |
| Edward A. Brion      | 431   |
| Harry Wesh           | 344   |
| "Great City" Chaffee | 314   |
| Dr. H. Roy Cannon    | 277   |
| George Lambert       | 309   |
| Monroe J. Fisher     | 240   |
| Lemuel Smith         | 219   |
| Jerry Donnelly       | 205   |
| John Schumacher      | 189   |
| Herman Hagers        | 189   |
| Thomas Langley       | 181   |
| Handy Lashaw         | 161   |
| Jere F. Twomey       | 148   |
| William A. Ellis     | 135   |
| Fred Schue           | 135   |
| Charles Platt        | 135   |
| James Knapp          | 119   |
| Frank J. Lundy       | 116   |
| E. Van Ackerman      | 109   |

Those ballot boxes flanking the entrance to the Lee Avenue Theatre, Brooklyn, into which the matinee and evening audiences have been in the past four days dropping Evening World ballots for King of the Coney Island Mardi Gras Carnival of Sept. 15 to 21, were opened yesterday. Their contents have been counted by the corps of girls in charge of the canvass in this novel election, and it was found that in the two boxes were 3,597 votes for the idol of the matinee girls and their elders in Brooklyn, Corse Payton, owner, manager and star of the Lee Avenue Theatre. These, with the ballots received in the Mardi Gras editor's mail, swelled Mr. Payton's vote to a total of 3,597, and made him the leader in the race. This seems to justify the title bestowed by the editor: "The Man of the Hour." It is a great pleasure in nominating Corse Payton, who is, in my opinion, the most popular man in Greater New York to-day. He has constantly been before the public for the past fifteen years, and the last eight years has been a resident of Kings County.

"It is needless for me to dwell on or go into details as to who the gentleman in question is, as his name is a household word throughout Greater New York. He was voted the most popular actor in America at the Professional Woman's League Fair, recently held at the Waldorf-Astoria, and is a token of the fact that he is a great favorite of the people in New York and Brooklyn, who have not forgotten him in some of the 800 different roles he has portrayed in Brooklyn.

"He is 'The Man of the Hour'?"

"He is the only actor who owns and plays in his own theatre, and I take it that never has he forgotten the poor children of Brooklyn, to whom every year he brings a Christmas tree and presents. His picture in Christmas is ornamenting over 100,000 homes, and during all these things into consideration, I dare say that he is 'The Man of the Hour'.

"In the event of his election, Mr. Payton would no doubt select his charming wife, Mrs. Etta Reed Payton, as his queen. She is equally a popular actress, and heads several large charitable institutions.

"I feel sure that when it has become known that Mr. Payton is in the field for the honor the votes will come pouring in, thereby procuring him the most popular man in Greater New York. I shall consider it a personal favor if you will give him the most space in your valuable publication.

"I enclose 100 votes for Mr. Payton. Albert O. Warburton, degree of A.M., 401 West 104th street, Manhattan, who wrote the above letter last Friday, showed the courage of his convictions in undertaking the management of the Corse Payton campaign which he had begun, and the 100 votes gathered in a few days for his champion illustrates the accuracy of his judgment and his cleverness as a campaigner.

The Race Is Still an Open One.

Corse Payton is at the head of the list to-day, but that does not necessarily signify that he will be elected. Indeed, that proposition is being hotly disputed by several worthy gentlemen. Fernand Akoun is only 104 votes behind Mr. Payton, and there is a ballot box nearly full of ballots at the entrance to the Sea Gate Palace Roller Rink, Coney Island.

Then there is Elias Rosenthal, the well-known international lawyer, popular throughout the city and just now the centre of a group of summer friends at Sea Gate, where he is spending the vacation season. These friends have formed a committee, with David M. Field for chairman, to carry on a campaign for Mr. Rosenthal for King of the Isle of Joy during its Annual Fall Carnival and the like.

This committee nominated Mr. Rosenthal last Saturday. Up to yesterday 1,500 coupon ballots had been received. The Evening World had come back to the Mardi Gras Editor by mail, which bearing the name of Elias Rosenthal for King of the Isle of Joy, was forwarded to a parcel of vote containing 2,094 votes gathered for Mr. Rosenthal, which, with a few more votes received by mail, swelled his total to 3,497 and made him third in the race.

Rosenthal a N. Y. University Man.

In a letter to the readers of The Evening World the committee says: "It is but just that you know something about our candidate, and we therefore submit the following facts briefly. Mr. Rosenthal was born in Friedland, Russia, in 1861. He was educated in the city of Kiev, Russia, where he obtained a degree of A.M. He came to America for the purpose of establishing a Jewish colony in Da-

## Leader for King of Coney, and Two Competitors.



AUGUST  
ROSENTHAL

kota, where he spent four years, and made a record as a bareback and cross-country rider, and also received several medals and sharpshooters. He came to New York to take charge of the Russian Democratic Association, and also the Unity League, of which Borough President Alcorn, Judge McCarty and Judge Goldfischer, ex-Governor Fitzpatrick and Capt. Wallen were the directors. He is a graduate of the University of New York Law Department.

Kaplan Running Well.

Again, there are the thousand and odd that the hook actors, actresses and operatic artists who have set out with true devotion to the man who discovered them, and who will elect Mortimer Kaplan king of the carnival and appear as his royal retinue in the nightly pageant or perish in the attempt.

They have rolled up 2,523 votes for Prince Mortimer, and they haven't half tried in the mail from the office of House Grossman & Verhaas, hard-headed lawyers, of No. 115 Broadway.

An appeal to Greece in the Greek newspaper Atlanta to stand by their fellow countryman has brought this about, and George Aemacopoulos, of the Boston House, Coney Island, will manage the campaign among the Greeks.

There will be a ballot box at his door and campaign allies will alternate with pictures in the moving picture show at the Boston theatre.

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CHICAGO, Aug. 15.—Five persons were killed by the collapse of a two-story brick building at No. 15 Fry street early to-day.

The structure was an old, dilapidated affair, and had been weakened by a heavy windstorm which prevailed during the night.

HIS WIFE MISSING.

Left Three Children Behind—  
Thinks She Went to Germany.

A general police alarm was sent out to-day for Mrs. Lottie Send, of No. 2 Throop avenue, Williamsburg, and her five-year-old daughter Margaret. They have been missing since Monday. John Send, the husband and father, says he thinks his wife has gone to Germany, where she has rich relatives. She left three small children behind.

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